SUPERVISED MACHINE LEARNING: REGRESSION AND CLASSIFICATION

MACHINE LEARNING SPECIALIZATION

MACHINE LEARNING

- Machine Learning (ML) is the process of learning from data without explicit programming.
- Machine Learning algorithms learn from data through finding pattern and analysis
- Higher the amount of data the better is the performance
- Types of ML: Supervised Learning, Unsupervised Learning, Reinforcement Learning
- Supervised Learning: Learn from labeled input data, EX: Spam filtering, Speech recognition, Machine translation, Online advertisement, Automation
- Regression and Classification are Supervised Learning applications
- Regression predicts numeric value such as price of the house from size of house as input data
- Classification categorizes data into N small number of possible classes through decision boundary where input data is multidimensional, EX: Classify if image is a cat image



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- Unsupervised Learning: Identify pattern, insight and structure from unlabeled input data. EX: Clustering, Anomaly Detection, Dimensionality Reduction, Market Segmentation
- Clustering groups unlabeled data into clusters based on properties, EX: Google News, DNA Gene Micro Array, Customer Grouping
- Anomaly Detection finds fraud transaction in credit card, fault in manufacture components
- Dimensionality Reduction compress the data for easy store and process for analysis
- Market Segmentation groups similar customers together based on property
- Linear Regression model fit straight line to estimate numeric value such as housing price
- Classification model predict category from N possible classes such as disease classification
- Input data X is called feature and output data Y is called target variable
- X fed into learning algorithm predicts y based on Hypothesis F(X)

